

THE WORLD WONDER OIL AND GAS COMPANY OF KANSAS CITY, MO.

HAS JUST PURCHASED A FOUR ACRE LEASE RIGHT IN THE HEART OF THE GREAT BURKBURNETT TEXAS OIL FIELDS AT A COST OF \$15,000.00.

Our lease is on the Stephen Survey, which is adjoining the Hoffman Survey. The holdings of the Marine Oil Company were sold only a few days ago for \$3,500,000, which was a part of the Hoffman Survey; and every dollar invested in the Marine Oil Company is now worth \$17.50. Our driller, Mr. C. M. Flickinger, who drilled three wells for us last Spring, in the State of Kansas, is now on the ground in Burkburnett with his drilling machine and will begin drilling our well just as soon as arrangements can be completed.

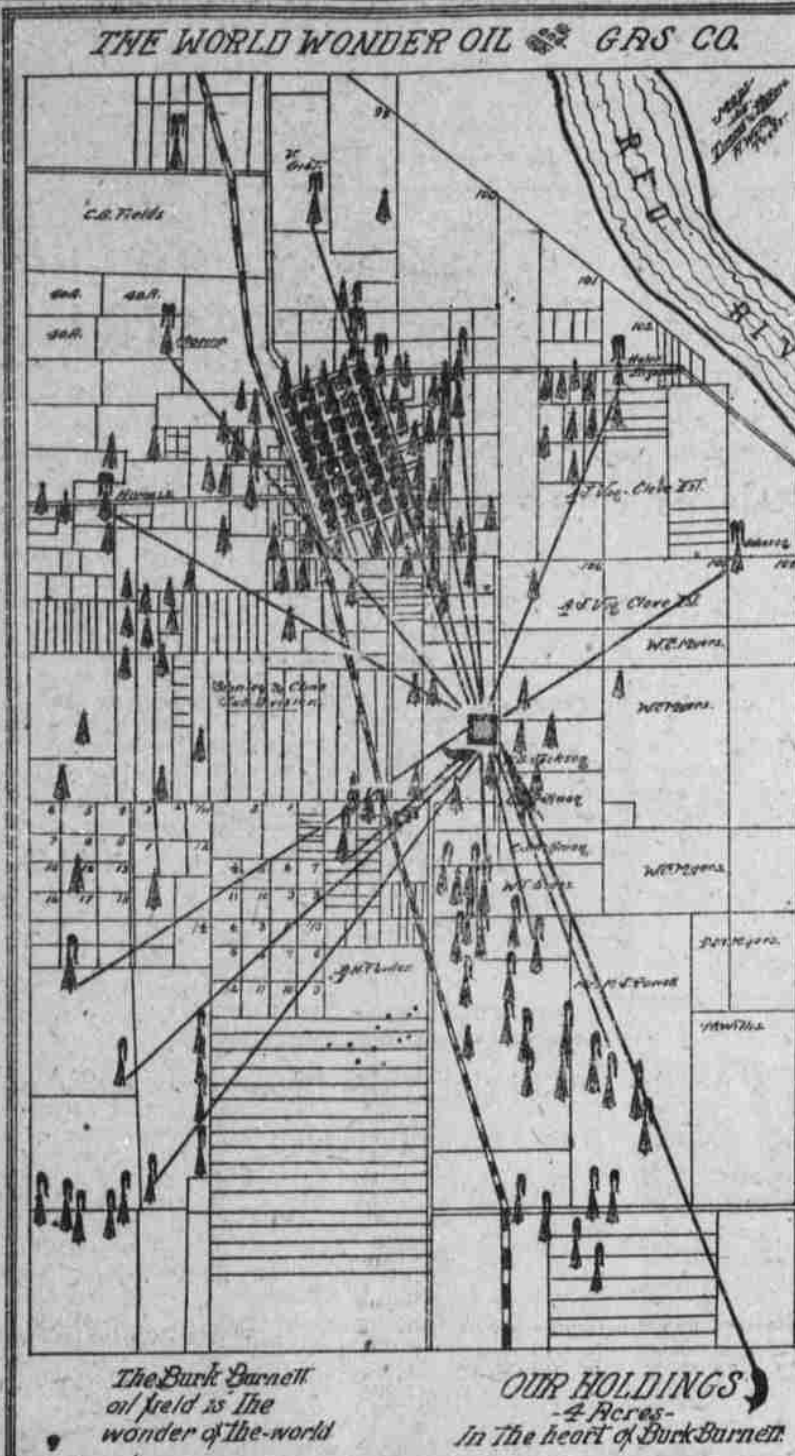
Our Special Offer To Texas People.

We are selling to the public 50,000 Shares of our Stock at \$1.00 per share par value, and we have allotted 20,000 of these Shares to Texas people, as we want the Texas people to help share in the large profits that are to be derived from our production. Our President, Mr. J. J. Allen, is now in Texas and has been there for about two weeks, and he has already sold over one-half of the Stock allotted to Texas as quite a few of our leading men, such as Bill McDonald, Rev. A. L. Boone, Rev. E. M. Griggs, Dr. Hurd, Mrs. Morgan and Busch have bought in large quantities, and others are buying daily.

Our President is now in Fort Worth, and has planned to tour the state of Texas; but we do not know how far he will get before the Stock will all be sold, and we would advise that you cut out the application blank below and mail to us at once for the amount of stock you want, or write the office at once that you would like to see our president personally, and we will notify him to call upon you.

Follow The Crowd.

The white race has succeeded; and if we are to succeed, we must follow in his footsteps. If you don't believe that white people are investing their money in oil, go into Fort Worth, Wichita Falls, or Dallas, Texas. It is just like going to a circus that is only to be in town one day. I'll bet there is over one hundred thousand visitors in those cities daily, who are investing in oil. Again, if you don't believe what I say, just read any of the Texas Daily papers; and if you want to see the greatest sight of your life, go to the City of Burkburnett, and take a view at the oil fields and listen to the hum of the gas engines and drilling machines pounding their way into mother earth to reach the black liquid gold that flows out of mother earth anywhere from two to four thousand dollars per day from one well. Just think of it. Isn't it remarkable? Are you going to get your share of it? If you don't it is your own fault; for there's surely no prejudice in oil. Not only have we this very valuable lease in Burkburnett Oil Fields, but we also have some valuable holdings in Anderson Co., Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas. Our stockholders share equally in all properties and income.



THE WORLD WONDER OIL AND GAS CO.,

1518 E. 18TH ST., KANSAS CITY, MO.

The Largest Oil Company In The World Owned Exclusively by Negroes.

Buy your Stock now, to-morrow may be too late. We do not sell less than 10 shares to one person. We accept Liberty Bonds as cash.

Do you wonder why so many people of the white race ride up and down the streets in the very finest of automobiles and live in the finest of homes, with us as their servants, and all the luxuries of life? It's because they invest their money. They take a chance. We can do the same, if we will get behind our race enterprises and in a Negro company, where you will get a square deal. See who is behind this company.

Officers

J. J. ALLEN, President
DR. J. W. McCLELLAN, V-Pres.
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MAIL QUICK

THE WORLD WONDER OIL AND GAS CO.,
1518 East 18th Street,
KANSAS CITY, MO.
GENTLEMEN:

Please accept my application for _____ Shares of the Capital Stock of your Company. Enclosed find \$_____ to pay for same, which I understand that you are now selling at \$1.00 per Share par value.
It is understood and agreed that if your Stock is all subscribed, you will promptly return my money. I further understand that I am to participate in all of your company's present holdings and all other properties that they may acquire in the future.
PLEASE MAIL CERTIFICATE TO

Name _____
R. F. D. or street Address _____
City _____ State _____

TEXAS TOWNS

WACO.

Waco, Texas, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Lena Edwards here awaiting her husband's discharge. They will return to Lake Charles, their home. Mrs. Hattie Clark Miles of Austin is here visiting relative. Bible Institute conducted by Rev. J. B. Knox at 8th St. Baptist church. Rev. J. A. McFerson, the pastor invited all to be present, Feb. 25 to March 2. Miss Deener of Texarkana is here guest of Mrs. Weiss Stewart. She is leaving Wednesday. Lieutenant Jerome Hubert stopped over to visit his wife for a few minutes he left for Camp Logan.

JACKSONVILLE.

Jacksonville, Texas, Feb. 27.—The Epworth League rendered an entertaining program Sunday evening at Benson Chapel C. M. E. church after which the following officers were installed for the ensuing term: Mr. Joe Clemmons, president; Mr. D. J. Harris, 1st vice-president; Mr. J. W. Baines, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Gladys Shank, 3rd vice-president; Prof. R. L. Sanders, 4th vice-president; Mr. D. L. Ragsdale, 5th vice-president; Mrs. Jane Redden, 6th vice-president; Miss Lydia McCulla of Rank, spent Sunday in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Maggie Ragsdale. She says she likes the Express and paid for a month's subscription in advance. Miss Lena Lofton is visiting in Dallas. Miss Pearl Martin has closed her school and is at home. Miss Louise Grant of Fort Worth, is here. Mrs. Lela Vaughn spent Saturday and Sunday at home of Mr. George Brooks or Austin is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. Clark. Mr. E. N. Ragsdale spent Sunday in Palestine. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Teneverson were called to Hillsboro on account of sickness. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kennedy spent a few days in Houston and Galveston last week. Mrs. Lewis of Marshall is in the city and has a position at the Sun-Set cafe and market.

Good things to eat. Mrs. Cornelius Harper also was the guest of Mrs. Willie Cumbo Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Alfred Martin is at home from Prairie View, Mrs. Leola Morris from San Antonio, is in the city. Misses L. M. Mayfield, Mr. Jake Anderson, Calvin McNeal, Gonshea Neal, Jack Medlock, Mrs. Margaret Ray, after a two weeks stay in Cushing and Douglas visiting her sisters, returned home Monday. Mr. Okar D. Brewer is at home after a six weeks stay in Mansfield, La.

BROWNWOOD.

Brownwood, Texas, Feb. 27.—Sunday was a big day at Lees Chapel A. M. E. church. Services were unusually good all the day. Rev. H. A. Lynch, the pastor has the work well in hand. Mrs. Mattie Smith entertained Sunday with a lucky dinner, the following friends were present: Prof. and Mrs. R. F. Hardin, R. L. Hubert and wife, Rev. H. A. Lynch and wife. Mr. Humphrey Hall has returned home from Petersburg, Va. Miss Seane Mallard is convalescing after an operation for tonsillitis.

HONEY GROVE.

Honey Grove, Texas, Feb. 28.—Mr. C. B. Straw, Mr. Omer Power, Mr. Albert Bowers, Mr. Carter, Mr. Claude Paster spent the Sunday here from Windsor, Texas. Miss Sadie Hart's, Mrs. Lizzie Walcott, Mrs. Edna H. R. Mr. Tribby Nelson, Mr. Jesse Nelson, Mr. Richard Johnson spent Sunday in Paris, Texas. Sgt. Logan and his father, Sam Logan, a German helmet from France and says that he was well up to expecting to sail for home soon. Mrs. Blanche Stewart, Mrs. Fannie Wright and many others were down Sunday from Bonham.

Rev. J. R. Swamy occupied the stand Sunday at 11 o'clock and conducted himself with much credit. Mrs. Katie Huckabee is the guest of Mrs. P. R. Robinson, this week. Mrs. Fay Smith Allen is erecting a nice four-room cottage in West end of town.

Mr. A. L. Hendleton, Supt. of Eastland Baptist school is still striving to make his school second to none. Rev. W. K. Walthall was at his post Sunday and delivered an able sermon.

PRAIRIE VIEW.

Prairie View, Texas, Feb. 27.—Mrs. L. E. Gibbons, who has been spending the winter in the home of her brother, Prof. A. A. McMillan, left Sunday for her home in Oakland, Calif. While here she was the recipient of a number of social convalesces. The more recent affairs being a dinner party given Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. E. J. Blackhear.

The guests were selected from the friends of Mrs. Gibbons school girl days in P. V. The same evening from 7 to 10 o'clock, Prof. and Mrs. E. Butler entertained at their home on Johnson avenue naming Mrs. Gibbons as honoree.

The basketball games played here Friday and Saturday between Samuel Houston and Prairie View ended in a defeat for the home team. A tag was given the visiting team at 7 o'clock Saturday in the "Y" building. At the same hour a reception was tendered the visiting teachers by the faculty of the school. Under management of Dean C. H. Griggs, a patriotic program was rendered on the 22nd, which was enjoyed by all. Miss L. C. Smith of Houston spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. N. R. Crawford. Miss Velma Scholers, who is teaching in Hockley spent the 22, on the campus. Mrs. S. Johnson of Oklahoma, with her two children has joined her husband, who is in the mechanical department. They have taken apartments in the Agriculture building which has been fitted up for the use of the families. Mrs. Thos. Q. Morton, wife of the instructor in auto mechanics has been quite ill for some time in her home; now that she has been removed to the college hospital we predict for her a speedy recovery.

WEATHERFORD.

Weatherford, Texas, Feb. 27.—Services were good at all churches. Mr. Charley Simmons made a flying trip to Fort Worth, and Cleburne. Rev. McPherson was here on business last Monday. Rev. C. G. Smith was at his post Sunday. Rev. C. G. Roberts pastor of the A. M. E. church preached a noble sermon. Rev. Graves was with us Sunday. Mrs. Maggie Harris is on the sick list. Mrs. Dora Abernathy is improving. Mr. Warren Ward, who has been very sick is improved. The C. M. E. church is preparing for a grand concert soon. Mr. Isaac Jacobs has been very ill, but is up again. Mrs. Jackson Upshaw is visiting her sister, Mrs. Pearl Black, in Abilene.

PARIS.

Paris, Texas, Feb. 27.—The Bedford Theater was packed to overflowing on last Sunday afternoon when the citizens of Paris assembled under the auspices of the Negro Advance. On last Monday the Colored soldiers who have returned from the camp. A very interesting and pleasing program was rendered for the occasion.

Rev. T. E. Price of Texarkana filled the pulpit at the St. Paul church last Sunday night under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. C. Lewis, the members and friends of the C. M. E. church conducted a financial rally last Sunday for the purpose of securing funds to complete the church. On last Wednesday night, Rev. James A. Stott of the C. M. E. church extension board and former Paris boy lectured to a large and appreciative audience at Dallas's summer theater on the subject, "Since 30 Years Ago." The lecture was enjoyed by all present. Dr. W. Scott O'Connell of Louisiana, gave a very interesting lecture last Friday night

at the Mt. Zion M. E. church. Mr. M. V. Baeus has been confined to his home for the past week on account of illness.

The revival meeting at St. Paul church is going on in full blast and will continue for ten days. Mr. S. S. Shelton received a letter from his cousin, Private Houston Shelton, whom the government had reported dead. The letter was written after the armistice had been signed.

Services were good all day at the Mt. Calvary Baptist church Sunday. Rev. F. E. Mooney, pastor was at his post morning and night. Mt. Calvary is coming into her own. They are putting things over the top for the master.

Mrs. L. P. Huckaby, Masters Arthur and Leon Huckaby spent Sunday in Honey Grove, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. P. R. Robinson and family.

BONHAM.

Bonham, Texas, Feb. 27.—Sunday the men and boys of the city were called together at the C. M. E. church for the purpose of listening to Mr. Duncan S. Comrie, (white) general secretary for the Y. M. C. A., for the county explaining the full purpose of the Y. M. C. A. and its workings. After which a permanent organization was formed.

Miss Carrie Seay of Gainesville, was in the city Sunday visiting friends. Miss Olevia See was up from her school Saturday visiting relatives. The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Kary Fanigan died Feb. 22nd.

The Holiness People have closed their meeting for ten days. Rev. J. C. Ford of Savoy was in the city Saturday en route to Ravenna.

The musical concert given at the Baptist church Thursday night was a financial success.

Mr. Joe Moore of Oklahoma is in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. Lucy Newsom was in the city last week.

Mrs. Henry Seals died Feb. 19th. Rev. Carter of Denison officiated. Mr. Bishop Dale has returned from Marlin where he has been for his health. The Ministerial Alliance met at the C. M. E. church Monday morning. Mr. K. Stewart is able to be up after several days' illness. Prof. W. C. Johnson was in the city, Saturday.

WHARTON.

Wharton, Texas, Feb. 27.—Rev. Bouldin preached to a large audience on Sunday and his sermon made us all feel good. Miss Hazel Price, one of the Houston City teachers came in on a business trip and spent a few hours in our city. Miss Omega Brown of Edna, came over and spent two days with us returning Sunday to take up her school. Mr. Rodan Armstrong was able to be at church Sunday after a long spell of sickness. Mrs. Lela Daniels is visiting Mrs. Rodan Armstrong. Mr. James Speaker of Tyler, is visiting home folks. He says Tyler is the place to live. Mrs. King, the mother of Miss Willie King has returned to her home in Houston after a few

days with her daughter. We hope the people of Wharton will continue to read the Colored papers and especially the Dallas Express.

DEKALB.

DeKalb, Texas, Feb. 27.—Sergeant R. L. Hawes has returned from Camp Stanley with a honorable discharge. We welcome him back home.

ATLANTA.

Atlanta, Texas, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Era Johnson has returned from Camp, Texas, after an extended visit with relatives and friends. Rev. A. W. Pryor passed through our city Saturday en route to Queen City to fill his regular appointment. Several of the members of First Baptist church attended service at Queen City, Sunday.

Mr. Ed Crawford of Texarkana, came down Saturday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. George Epperson and called on Miss Lela Mae Johnson, some of our prominent young ladies. Mrs. Lee Washington left Saturday for Ore City to organize a Starlight Band at St. Mary Baptist church of which Rev. A. Long is pastor.

Service at Emory First Baptist church Sunday was excellent. Pastor Deloney preached a soul stirring sermon.

Mr. Jim Reed and wife, also Mr. and Mrs. Starling Reed of Bryants Mill, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Black, 160 Gore street. The auxiliary Board No. 2 of St. Paul C. M. E. church met with Mrs. Lela Watson Sunday evening.

Honey Grove Community—Mrs. Flora and Neil Dawson visited Mrs. B. D. Dawson Saturday. Mrs. Dosh Crawford gave a quilting Wednesday.

Mr. Isaac Mitchell has finished his new bungalow. Mrs. Mary Austin and Mrs. Mattie Crawford made a flying trip to Linden Friday. Mr. Fletcher and Zolite Dawson, visited in Abilene Tuesday night. Mr. Fletcher Dawson made a flying trip to Springdale, Friday on business.

The reporter feels highly lifted up over the many encouraging letters received from different friends telling how much they enjoy reading the news of Atlanta. A letter just received from Mr. Joel Teal which reads thusly: "Mrs. L. Washington, Atlanta, Texas. Kind friend. This is to let you know how much I enjoy reading that news all times. This is the way I keep up with the news of times. I wish you much success with your news. I am yours for success. JOEL TEAL, 706 S. Francis St. Terrell, Texas."

CHANDLER.

Chandler, Texas, Feb. 27.—Bethel A. M. E. church is all aglow over the series of sermons by pastor J. W. McDade. Long before 11:30 a. m. the usual hour for preaching, Bethel was crowded to its utmost capacity. The pastor concluded his series of sermons on the church, selecting for texts, Acts 10:38. The people of Chandler say they

are proud of Dr. McDade, both Methodist and Baptist.

Sabbath school was well attended. Rev. Dr. J. C. Brown of Bullard, Texas, preached for us Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Vaughn and wife of Bullard, Texas, were here visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samsunday.

Master Sammie Vaughn, a student of E. T. A., is here visiting his parents, A. H. Vaughn.

Mrs. L. Wiggins, the efficient teacher at Antioch is doing some real work in her school. Dr. Hightower was the guest of Mrs. Faisie Hightower Sunday.

SHERMAN.

Sherman, Texas, Feb. 27.—Miss Chas. Etter Houston is teaching at Hiest.

Rev. J. R. Robbins of Woodville, Okla., is guest of Mrs. Chambers and family. Mrs. Lulu Grant visited her husband in Clarksville. Mrs. Hattie Jones is sick listed. Rev. P. D. Roe has accepted a pastorate with First Baptist church in Tishomingo, Okla. Rev. G. W. Hesta has resigned the pastorate of Morning Star Baptist to go to Spur, Okla.

Lucy Ham has returned from the bed side of her daughter. Mr. Samuel Lindsay, an old respected citizen died on the 23rd inst., in South Saerman. Funeral attended on the 25th inst., by Rev. G. H. Bell.

Miss Opelita Southern, who a few days ago accompanied her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. T. Southern to her home in Los Angeles, Calif., for recuperation died there early Monday, Feb. 23rd inst. In the death of Miss Opelita, the race has lost one of her highest jewels, parents and relatives loving child. She was an alumnus of Fred Douglass high school also Prairie View State Normal, also member of Fred Douglass school faculty. She was a member of Lincoln Court No. 21, Calanthe and American Woodmen.

Her remains will arrive here about 28th inst.

Prof. N. S. Everett of the Fraternal, has charge. Interment will be in West Hill cemetery. Funeral will be attended at St. John C. M. E. church.

The Valentine party given by Misses Willie Stuart, Thelma Douglas and Marguerite and Charlotte Mann at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Mann was a real jolly affair. A large number was present. The out of town guests were Miss Hattie Carraway of Bonham, Texas. Menu: punch, ice cream and cake.

Under the leadership of Rev. H. D. Allen, the Harmony Baptist church is progressing as never before. Every department has put on new life. Amount raised during the anniversary services was \$114.00 and during the year raised little more than \$2,000.00.

The banquet night of the 17th inst., at Masonic hall given by members of Harmony Baptist church in honor of Rev. H. D. Allen's first fraternal anniversary, grand affair. Mr. E. Miles master of ceremonies. Madams Dan Childs and E. Brown tendered their mother, a handsome birthday party on the evening of the 22nd.

WICHITA FALLS.

Wichita, Texas, Feb. 27.—Services were at their best Sunday. Mrs. M. Smith attempted suicide at her home by the use of a butcher knife, ill health was the cause.

Dr. Addison of Hillsboro, graced the pulpit of St. John Baptist church and charmed his hearers with his eloquence as a preacher. Mrs. Rice made a flying trip to Ft. Worth.

Anderson Chapel A. M. E. church had a high day Sunday. The program at Booker Washington school Monday night (24) was a unique affair. There were seen happiness and tears and shower of praises.

Rev. J. L. Johnson preached a very convincing and impressive sermon on the subject, "Oilless Lamps." The great educational rally to the second in March. The leaders contest will be the scene of the day.

In spite of the very inclement weather Wednesday, the Ladies Progressive club held its usual meeting at the handsome residence of Mrs. E. Nichols with Mrs. L. Walter as hostess.

The hostess served a 2-course menu. Next meeting with Mrs. C. T. Young at the residence of Mrs. T. S. Jackson.

A correction: the initials of Mrs. R. A. Ransom of Gainesville were incorrectly printed as Mrs. E. D. Ransom as being the guest of the L. P. C.

McKINNEY.

McKinney, Texas, Feb. 27.—Service was good at the Colored Christian church all day Sunday. Free Will Baptists are in revival, 40 candidates for baptism. Sicklisted Mr. L. Sanders, Mrs. Eli Garrett.

Rev. Timmons, preached for the pastor Rev. Smith at the C. M. E. church last Sunday night. Mrs. Murtie D. Young of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Clark S. Rogers of Kansas City, Mo.; Sisters of Rev. W. Louis Smith and Miss Pauline E. Smith, daughter of Denton, are visiting their brother and father here.

Two special sermons will be delivered at the C. M. E. church Sunday morning and at night a cordial welcome is extended to all.

Services at the Second Baptist church was good all day Sunday. The Sunday school is making on to victory with J. W. Dunkins' support.

Rev. and Mrs. McClindon and Deacon Higgins and wife of Plano were in the service and rendered a good service. Come again.

THURBER.

Thurber, Texas, Feb. 27.—Sunday school was well attended Sunday. Rev. P. W. Upshaw, our pastor was here Sunday and preached two soul stirring sermons, total collection for the day \$31.90. Rev. T. B. Banks left for a visit to Ballinger last week.